

# Alexandria Gazette

FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 6.

**THE CATERPILLAR—EASY MODE OF EXTERMINATING THEM.**—Mr. Wm. A. Legrand, a farmer of Campbell county, who has an orchard of three or four thousand fruit trees, and has devoted much time and attention to the culture of fruit, has given us some facts in relation to the origin of caterpillars that have proved so destructive to orchards, and the easy manner in which they can be exterminated. Believing it will be of advantage to some of our readers, we publish it for their benefit.

At this season of the year (April) when the sap of the tree begins to rise and the buds put forth, the caterpillars from a small belt 12 to 15 inches from the end of the twigs, which will be found to contain thousands of eggs; here they hatch and begin to spin a light web, reach down to the forks of the branches, where they form a belt of mulberry, on which they feed until strong enough to get to the forks of the tree, where they spin a large web or nest and remain the entire season, feeding on the young leaves.

They can be easily destroyed by pinching off the web before they reach the forks of the limbs. They are just now making their appearance, especially on apple and pear trees, and if the trees are inspected and these suggestions adopted, these creeping insects can be utterly destroyed. —Lynch, Virginia.

## ROOTS AND SHOES.

1877 SPRING TRADE. 1877

**W. B. WADDEY,**  
74 KING STREET,  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

The largest and best selected stock of Boots and Shoes ever offered in this market. The special attention of the trade is invited to our stock of

LADIES', GENTS', MISSES', YOUTHS', CHILDREN'S and INFANTS' WEAR,

comprising all of the varieties and new styles, from the heavy Hagen to the most delicate Slipper—made to order, and of the very best material.

COUNTRY MERCHANTS will find it to their advantage to examine our stock from which equally good selections can be made at prices that will compare favorably with those of the Northern cities.

In the RETAIL DEPARTMENT we have all of the latest styles of Ladies', Gents', Misses' and Children's Boots, Shoes, Gaiters and Slippers, finished in the most elegant style, and warranted durable.

Our Word is Our Bond—Any goods we sell with a verbal guarantee for certain service, such as not to rip, etc., in a given time, will be made free of charge if found not to stand as represented.

W. B. WADDEY.

mb 20

## Boots & Shoes.

We, the undersigned, respectfully solicit your examination of our

## New Spring and Summer Stock,

Before you spend a dollar elsewhere in our line, and earnestly believe, if you will remember this invitation and call and see us, it will be money in your pockets and good fits on your feet.

## WADDEY'S,

74 KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

## GROCERIES AND LIQUORS.

**REDUCTION IN PRICES OF CHOICE FAMILY BACON.**

40,000 LBS EXTRA BACON, my own curing, put up with great care, for sale at the following

REDUCED PRICE:

"Sugar cured HAM 14c."  
"BACON 12c."  
"SHOULDERS 10c."  
"SIDES and JOWLS at like reduction in rates. ALSO PURE LARD, in small packages and tins, at reduced prices. Call early at

SAM'L J. REED'S, mb 13 74 South Fairfax street.

## R. W. AVERY,

Dealer in CHOICE FAMILY AND FANCY GROCERIES, WINE & LIQUORS, &c., &c., 225 King st., cor. Alfred, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

## NEW STORE!

NEW GOODS! NEW PRICES! The subscriber respectfully announces that he has taken the store

NO. 147 KING STREET, and is prepared to offer a full and carefully selected stock of

FINE FAMILY GROCERIES at prices which cannot fail to please. Goods delivered promptly to all parts of the city, and satisfaction guaranteed in every particular. An inspection of stock solicited.

my 9-11 E. J. DAVIDSON.

## W. A. JOHNSON,

GROCERY, LIQUOR, FEED AND COMMISSION MERCHANT, Northeast Corner Cameron and Royal streets, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

All orders from the country will receive prompt and careful attention.

GEORGE MCBURNEY & SON,

## CHOICE FAMILY AND FANCY GROCERIES, WINE & LIQUORS, &c., &c.,

Also, EASTERN and POTOMAC HERRING and MACKEREL.

NOS. 166 and 170 KING STREET, (Washington Hall Building), Alexandria, Va.

Orders promptly filled.

W. M. RAMSAY,

## TEA DEALER.

S. E. COR. KING AND ST. ASAPH STS.,

nov 22-11 Alexandria, Va.

## TRY OUR NEW FIFTY CENT BLACK TEA;

the finest ever sold for the money.

mb 10 G. W. M. RAMSAY.

## PEELED PEACHES,

dried by the new evaporating process, for sale by

J. C. & E. MILBURN.

## SALT LAKE PEACHES,

received to day by

J. C. & E. MILBURN.

## PRIME SMOKED BLOATERS and BONELESS CODFISH for sale by

jan 31 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

## PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

**DR. ROBERTSON,** 19 South Eutaw street, Baltimore, Md., from long experience in Hospital and Special Practice, will guarantee a cure in all Diseases of the Urinary Organs, Nervous and Organic Weakness, General Debility, Impotency, (loss of sexual power) Exhaustion and all bad effects arising from early indiscretions and abuses. Also all Female Complaints. Diseases recently contracted positively cured in 5 to 10 days. Dr. R. is endorsed by the leading physicians of Baltimore, guarantees honorable and scientific treatment to all placing themselves in his hands. All consultations strictly confidential. Can be consulted in Washington every Wednesday and Saturday, from 2 to 5 p. m., at his office, 921 D st., between 9th and 10th. Call or write, enclosing stamp for reply.

DR. J. ORLANDO HODGKIN,

(Formerly of this city).

## SURGEON DENTIST.

OFFICE NO. 1227 PENNA AVENUE,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

nov 4-6m

## H. O. CLAUGHTON, CHARLES E. STUART,

CLAUGHTON & STUART,

## ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW.

NO. 25 SOUTH FAIRFAX STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Practicing in the Courts of Alexandria, and the adjoining counties, and in the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia.

JOHN M. JOHNSON,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

Alexandria, Virginia.

Practicing in the Courts of Alexandria and adjoining counties. Will attend the London Courts regularly.

By 1-11

## RICHARD L. MAURY,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,

AND

SOLICITOR IN BANKRUPTCY,

No. 105 Main street, Richmond, Virginia.

Special facilities for prompt collections throughout Virginia and West Virginia.

Refers to Gov. John Letcher, (recent partner) Lexington, Va.; The State Bank of Virginia, Gov. Jas. L. Kemper, Hon. R. M. T. Hunter, and R. H. Maury & Co., Bankers, Richmond, Va.; Messrs. Baring Bros. & Co., J. K. Gillist & Co., London, England.

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## DENTAL NOTICE

**DR. D. N. RUST**

Has removed his office to the

NORTHEAST CORNER OF PRINCE AND WASHINGTON STREETS.

dec 21-11

## CARD—Circumstances rendering it desirable that I should locate in Baltimore, I have transferred my DENTAL PRACTICE to

Alexandria to DR. D. N. RUST. He has been for so many years associated with me as to need no introduction or endorsement. His skill, sound judgment and reputation for honesty and high integrity being well known, I cordially commend him to the favor of my friends and patients, as well worthy of the position to which he succeeds, and bespeak for him the practice with which, for so long, I have been favored.

JAMES E. HODGKIN,

Alexandria, Va., mar 10-11

## BOOKS, STATIONERY, &c.

## NEW BOOKS, MAGAZINES AND REVIEWS.

AT FRENCH'S,

NO. 95 KING STREET.

The Various Contrivances by which Orchards are Fertilized by Insects, by Charles Darwin, M.A., F.R.S.; \$1.75.

The Effects of Frost and Salt. Participation in the Vegetable Kingdom, by Charles Darwin, M.A., etc.; \$2.

Charles Kingsley, his Letters and Memoirs of his Life, edited by his wife; \$2.50.

Russia, by D. Mackenzie Wallace, M.A., member of the Imperial Russian Geographical Society; 1 vol., 8vo.; \$4.

The Two Americas, an Account of Sport and Travel, by Major Sir Ross Lambart; \$2.

The English Constitution and Other Political Essays, by Walter Bagehot; \$2.

New lot to-day of all the late novels—"Golden Butterfly," Helen's Ladies, A Tale of a Baby, From Dreams to Waking, Cripple de Garrier, Daniel Doranda, (Good Luck) Black Spirits and White, and many others.

mb 20 GEO. E. FRENCH.

## JOHN H. PARROTT,

NO. 37 KING STREET,

(Above Lee street),

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

## DEALER IN

## BLANK BOOKS

Writing and Wrapping Paper, Envelopes, Ink, Mucilage, Stationery and Stationery, Lead Pencils, Rubber Bands and Erasers.

ing Rubber, in short Stationery generally, and Sheet Music.

Also Paper Bags, Flour Sacks, Shipping Tags, &c., &c.

January 1, 1877.

N. R. "Rather far down town" some say; but still I am six miles this side of Washington city. "Nut eat."

jan 1

## ICE CREAM & CONFECTIONERY.

125 KING STREET.

MILK DEPOT.

RECEIVED DAILY FROM JNO. MASON'S DAIRY.

New Milk 7c per quart; skimmed 4c; Sugar Case 10c per quart.

Ice Cream 5c per quart; Frozen Custard 2c per quart, or in ice, and sent to all parts of the city; Ice Cream per gallon \$1.50; Frozen Custard \$1.10.

I return my thanks to my friends and a generous public for their liberal patronage, hoping by strict attention to business to merit a continuation of the same.

J. S. FORCE, No. 125 King st.

jan 20-3m Alexandria, Virginia.

## PISOS CURE FOR CONSUMPTION

—The above admirable remedy for Coughs, Colds and all affections of the lungs in both adults and children continues to grow steadily in public favor. It is now over five years since we were instrumental in first introducing this preparation to the notice of the Virginia trade, and during that time we have sold several thousand bottles of it, and with great and almost universal satisfaction to purchasers. In bottles of two sizes at 50c and \$1 each, respectively. The trade supplied at proprietor's rates.

nov 2 Druggists, Nos. 79 and 145 King st.

## S. BERNHEIMER,

Pays the Highest Cash Prices for

## SECOND-HAND CLOTHING

GUNS, REVOLVERS, WATCHES,

Musical Instruments, New and Second-Hand Harness,

Stoves, &c.,

S. E. CORNER KING AND LEES STREETS

(on 25) Alexandria, Va.

## A CHOICE LOT OF NEW YORK BUTTER;

also Virginia Butter, in store and for sale very low by

mb 12 K. W. AVERY, 225 King st.

## BEST HOMINY, B. E. Peas and Hominy Beans for sale by

dec 11 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

## TAPIoca and SAGO received and for sale by

mb 10 J. J. DAVIDSON,

147 King street.

## BLOATERS—A full supply of these delicious Smoked Fish received and for sale by

jan 2 J. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st.

## SPOILED PIGS' FEET received and for sale by

feb 19 J. J. DAVIDSON,

147 King street.

## BAKER'S BEST and GERMAN SWEET CHOCOLATES just received by

jan 25 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

## 3 HDS PRIME NEW ORLEANS SUGAR received this day and for sale cheap by

feb 1 B. W. AVERY, 225 King st.

## FISH, OYSTERS, &c.

**W. M. H. SMITH & CO.,**

Dealers in

## FRESH AND SALT FISH.

Corporation Fish Wharf, Alexandria, Virginia.

Would inform dealers and others that they are prepared to furnish them with all kinds of

## POTOMAC FISH

at the lowest possible prices. We would call the attention of buyers to the fact that our brand has stood No. 1 in market at all times, and we intend to sustain our reputation in that respect.

All orders addressed to W. H. Smith & Co., Alexandria, Va., will receive prompt attention.

mb 15-3m

## J. G. GRIMES & CO.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

## FRESH AND SALT FISH.

Stands—Fish wharf and Market Building.

feb 23-3m

## W. M. H. SMITH,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

OYSTERS, FISH, PRODUCE, &c., &c., No. 10 North Fairfax street.

Has constantly on hand systems of the best quality from Norfolk and elsewhere received fresh by steamers every day, and is prepared to furnish the trade at low prices as any house in the city.

All orders entrusted to him shall receive prompt and careful attention.

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## HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS.

## SHERWOOD HOUSE,

Corner Fayette and Harrison sts.,

BAITMORE, MD.

## EUROPEAN PLAN.

HENDRICKS & BARNUM,

mb 9-2m Proprietors.

## AGRICULTURAL.

## LANDRETH'S GARDEN SEEDS—Wearo

in receipt of our usual Spring supply of seeds from the above named old and reliable

house. Our stock will be found to comprise all the old and well known and some new varieties, and being offered at as reasonable prices as reliable seeds can be sold, we respectfully invite an inspection. Also Flower Seeds in great variety, to which we especially invite the attention of the ladies. Garden and Flower Seeds in particular to any address, free of postage, at the rate of 51 per dozen papers.

JANNEY & CO., Druggists,

Nos. 7 and 145 King st.

feb 25

## 50 BUSHELS

EARLY ROSE POTATOES

First quality,

received and for sale by

feb 25 DAVY & HARMON.

## AGRICULTURAL PEAS

300 bushels

BLACK PEAS

For sale by

THOMAS PERKY, Agent,

17 King street.

feb 11

## CAPING, 1877.

## GARDEN SEEDS.

We have just received our first supply of Garden Seeds for this year from the old and reliable house of J. Landreth & Son, and will be pleased to supply all of our customers. Catalogue can be had upon application.

feb 9 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

## WOOD AND COAL.

For Coal, Coal and Coal go to

WOOD AND COAL YARD,

CORNER DUKE AND FAIRFAX STS.,

Where you will find

A PRIME ARTICLE.

feb 20 m B. BAKER.

## COAL

For good CLEAN COAL go to J. M. HADLEY & CO'S, wharf and yard foot of Queen street.

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## COAL

On the wharf at foot of COAL, of the best quality, Broken, Egg, Globe, Nut and Cumberland, from the following sources:

Lyken's Valley Mines

Union

Sambury

Hammer

Hill & Hager

Oxum

Maryland

West Virginia Split.

For sale at the lowest market rates, per ton of 2240 lbs.

mb 11 W. A. SMOOT.

## COAL

We have now on hand and are constantly receiving at our wharf and storage yards, foot of Queen street, all the best COAL known to this market. We name in part:

LYKEN'S VALLEY

SHAMOKIN and EAST FRANKLIN LOR-

BERRY, from EAGLE VEIN COLLIERY